Table 1.1 Employment by major occupational group, 2008 and projected 2018 (Numbers in thousands)

2008 National Employment Matrix title and code		Employment		Percent distribution		Change, 2008-18	
		2008	2018	2008	2018	Number	Percent
Total, all occupations	00-0000	150,931.7	166,205.6	100.00	100.00	15,273.9	10.12
Management, business, and financial occupations	11-1300	15,746.7	17,410.9	10.43	10.47	1,664.2	10.57
Professional and related occupations	15-2900	31,053.5	36,280.0	20.57	21.82	5,226.5	16.83
Service occupations	31-3900	29,575.9	33,645.1	19.59	20.24	4,069.2	13.76
Sales and related occupations	41-0000	15,902.7	16,883.1	10.53	10.15	980.4	6.16
Office and administrative support occupations	43-0000	24,100.6	25,942.7	15.96	15.60	1,842.1	7.64
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	45-0000	1,035.4	1,026.3	0.68	0.61	-9.1	-0.88
Construction and extraction occupations	47-0000	7,810.3	8,828.8	5.17	5.31	1,018.6	13.04
Installation, maintenance, and repair occupations	49-0000	5,798.0	6,238.2	3.84	3.75	440.2	7.59
Production occupations	51-0000	10,083.0	9,733.9	6.68	5.85	-349.2	-3.46
Transportation and material moving occupations	53-0000	9,825.5	10,216.6	6.50	6.14	391.1	3.98

Source: Employment Projections Program, U.S. Department of Labor, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics